



Kathleen Mae Pralle

February 1, 1930 - May 21, 2024

Kathleen Mae Pralle, 94, of Hampton, formerly of Latimer, passed away Tuesday, May 21, 2024, at Franklin Country View Nursing Facility in Hampton. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., Friday, May 24, 2024, at Woodley Funeral Home in Hampton. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, May 25, 2024, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Latimer. Kathleen will be laid to rest in the St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery in Latimer. Woodley Funeral Home of Hampton is caring for Kathleen and her family.

Kathleen was born at home in rural Aplington on February 1, 1930, daughter of John and Jennie (Fecht) Buseman. She attended country school in Bristow. Kathleen was united in marriage to Leonard Henry Pralle on September 20, 1950, at the Dumont Reformed Church. She waitressed for 15 years and also helped Leonard with farming operations near Latimer. Kathleen also worked as a cook for the St. Paul Lutheran School in Latimer for several years.

Kathleen was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Latimer, where she also served on the Lutheran Women Missionary League and Latimer Park Society. She enjoyed sewing and making ceramic gifts and seasonal items. Kathleen also enjoyed cooking and baking. She was known for her pan of cinnamon rolls that she'd make for all family birthdays. Kathleen loved her annual fishing trips to Minnesota with Leonard.

Kathleen is survived by her sons: Terry Pralle of Iowa Falls and Alan (Annette) Pralle of Goodell; grandchildren: Andrea (Kent) Hickman of Alden; Chad (Amy) Pralle of Flippin, Arkansas; Sara (Ryan) Schlichting of Lake Elmo, Minnesota; Justin (Shawna) Pralle of Klemme; Adam (Ashley) Pralle of Ackley and Lana (Kevin) Krefting of Urbandale; 14 great grandchildren; 4 great-great grandchildren; sister Alvina Voss of Grundy Center and brother Lenix Buseman of Charles City.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Leonard Pralle; sisters Marian Pralle and Jan Reysack; brother Albert Buseman and great-great grandson Weston Douglas.

Memorials may be directed to LWML at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Latimer.

Cemetery Details

St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery

Latimer, IA 50452

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **24.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hampton - Woodley Funeral Home
306 Central Ave. East
Hampton, IA 50441
(641) 456-3232

Service

MAY **25.** 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
304 W Main Street
Latimer, IA 50452

Tribute Wall



“ Woodley Funeral Home and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Kathleen Mae Pralle



Woodley Funeral Home and Crematory - May 23, 2024 at 03:54 PM

BJ

“ Brad and Gail Johnson purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Kathleen Mae Pralle.



Brad and Gail Johnson - May 25, 2024 at 08:33 AM

MC

“ Sending our sympathy on the loss of Kathleen. We so enjoyed the time we spent with her She was a special lady and so good to Carolyn. She will be missed

Marvin Clawson - May 24, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kathleen Mae Pralle.



May 24, 2024 at 11:19 AM

FL

“ From Everyone at Lee Ltd planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kathleen Mae Pralle.

From Everyone at Lee Ltd - May 24, 2024 at 11:19 AM

CT

“ Kathleen you were always an inspiration to me and always made me laugh! You will truly be missed! Sending thoughts, prayers and hugs to the family. ❤️🕊️❤️

Chrissy Taylor - May 24, 2024 at 01:19 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kathleen Mae Pralle.



May 23, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kathleen Mae Pralle.



May 23, 2024 at 03:55 PM

SP

“ Absolutely always enjoyed Kathleen since knowing her as a child growing up. She always had something to say and knew what was going on around her whether in Latimer or the care center. Friendly and kind... she will be missed. What a joy for her to now be in heaven. Sympathy to the family.

sharon parks - May 23, 2024 at 08:57 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Kathleen Mae Pralle.



May 22, 2024 at 09:17 PM